

RESOLUTION 13-115

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COON CREEK
WATERSHED DISTRICT TO SERVE AS THE CITY'S LEGAL
AUTHORITY ON WETLAND ISSUES**

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Wetland Conservation Act of 1991 (WCA) requires local government units (LGUs) to implement the rules and regulations promulgated by the Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) pertaining to wetland draining, filling and excavation; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Rules, chapter 8420 have been adopted by BWSR in accordance with the rulemaking provisions of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 14, for the purpose of implementing WCA; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Rules 8420.0200, Subpart 1, Item E allows a city to delegate implementation of chapter 8420 and the act to another governmental entity by the passage of resolutions by both parties; and

WHEREAS, both parties must provide notice to BWSR, the Department of Natural Resources, and the Soil and Water Conservation District of the delegation, including a copy of the resolution and a description of the applicable geographic area, within 15 business days of adoption of the resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Coon Rapids' City Council that the authority and administrative responsibility to implement WCA as the LGU within the legal boundaries of the City of Coon Rapids is delegated to the Coon Creek Watershed District as of December 17, 2013 in accordance with Minnesota Rules, Chapter 8420.

Adopted this 17th day of December, 2013.

Tim Howe, Mayor

Offered by Councilmember _____, seconded by Councilmember _____,
adopted by a vote of _____ at the regular meeting of the City Council of City of Coon Rapids
on December 17, 2013.

ATTEST:

Catherine M. Sorensen, City Clerk